STRIKERS AND **GUARDS FIGHT.**

Two on Each Side Killed and Several Wounded.

Crane Creek Mining District Scene of the Trouble.

PUT UNDER ORDERS.

Second Regiment of the West Virginia National Guard

Ready to Proceed to the New River Coal Fields.

WILL LEAVE AT ONCE.

Four Companies Go From Huntington on a Special.

Serious Trouble Is Looked for as Result of Strike.

Bluefield, W. Va., Aug. 28.-Strikers today fired on the miners and tipple at Crane creek operations. Two guards and two strikers were killed. Several were wounded.

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Parkersburg, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Col. C.
E. Morrison, of this city, commanding the Second regiment, West Virginia National Guard, received orders this morning from Governor White calling his regiment to the New river coal fields. The officers refuse to state what is their destination, but it is supposed to be Red Ash, where the deputies were fired upon yesterday. The regiment is composed of nearly a thousand men, and the companies are scattered at several places in the state. Huntington has three, Parkersburg two, Charleston, Milton and Bluefield each one company. A special train has been ordered out, and the companies are searched. A special train has been ordered out, and the companies are assembled at their armories here awaiting further

and the companies are assembled at their armories here awaiting further orders to move.

TO PROCEED AT ONCE. Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Major James E. Verlander, of the second battalion, West Virginia National Guard, has received orders from Governor White to proceed at once with three companies of state militia here and one companny at Milton to the New river coal field, where trouble is imminent. The companies have been assembled, and will leave at once on a special train. Serious trouble is predicted.

SHOOT AT THE GUARDS.
Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Governor White ordered the Second regiment of troops to Thurmond, New river strike district, today. They will arrive there during the afternoon. The situation is serious. Sheriff Daniel, who is here today from Faystte county, says he is powerless to repress disorder, and property and life are in constant danger. Nearly everybody refuses to act as deputy sheriffs to assist in the eviction of striking miners, and hence the sheriff made a request for troops. Men concealed along the mountain side fire at the guards and miners going to work and then disappear. Governor White says he sends the troops to protect life and p. operty, but not to settle the strike.

AID FROM WALES.

AID FROM WALES. London, Aug. 28.—At a meeting to-day of the council of the South Wales' miners' federation it was decided to forward \$5,000 to aid the striking miners of the United States.

GREASED THE TRACK. Strikers Interfere With Movement of Troops at Tamaqua.

Troops at Tamaqua.

Tamaqua, Pa, Aug. 28.—The first clash between the striking miners and the troops occurred this morning and as a result five prisoners are in the guard house at the Twelfth regiment camp and Capt. J. Beaver Gearhart of company F. Twelfth regiment, is suffering from a wound on his shoulder, made by a stone, thrown by a striker. This morning a report gained currency that the striking men were gathering in force to make a march on the No. 4 coiliery where Lehigh coal and Navigation company is mining and cleaning coal. The coiliery is at the west end of the Panther Creek valley and the governor's troop was ordered to that and cleaning coal. The colliery is at the west end of the Panther Creek valley and the governor's troop was ordered to that point companies Fand K. of the Tweifth regiment were placed on trolley cars and run through the valley. When the cars reached Summit Hill they were surrounded by a mob of strikers who hurled rocks at the soldiers and called them hard rames. While Jimmy Marteen, an Italian, was in the act of hurling a stone at a car, several soldiers jumped off and made an attempt to capture him. Marteen offered resistance and the soldiers were compelled to fix their bayonetts. In the melee that followed Marteen was wounded slightly in the left side. The troopers started back to camp and as the cars rounded a curve just outside of Summit Hill, at a point where the tracks take an abrupt dip, the just outside of Summitt Hill, at a point where the tracks take an abrupt dip, the motorman on the first car made the discovery that the rails had been greased. The cars were stopped and soldiers were sent ahead to place sand upon the rails. When this had been done it was possible by moving the cars slowly to reach Lansford in safety. A mob had gathered there and for a time it looked like riot. As the first car was passing through the mob Capt. Gearhart was struck on the right shoulder by a stone. Several soldiers jumped from the car in pursuit of the stone thrower. After an exciting scuffle they captured Joseph McCann, a young miner.

They proceeded again but had not gone They proceeded again but had not gone far when another crowd was encountered and the soldiers were again taunted and stoned. Half a dozen soldiers jumped off and captured three men, who, it is said, were urging the crowd to attack the troops. The men gave their names as John King, Timothy King and John Keily. They were taken to camp at Manila park, where together with McCann and Marteen, they were placed under a heavy guard.

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The officers of the Twelfth regiment al agree that the situation is serious. They say the feeling against the soldiers is very intense in Coaldale, Lansford and Summit Hill.

CHANCES ARE POOR. Outlook for Resumption of Mining in Anthracite Fields.

Pittston, Pa., Aug. 28.—The chances for an early resumption of the mines in the anthracite coal fields on the same scale as they were operated previous to the strike of the mine workers, are not

very good, according to the outlook here. The superintendents of the coal companies practically admit that at the present rate there is no chance of getting the collieries open for many weeks. Several of the collieries have been started but not one is working with anything like its capacity. At each of these mines it is admitted by the companies they have only about 100 men at work, but the claim is made that they are getting more every day.

The collieries working are the Oxford of the People's Coal company, the Von Storch and Dickson, of the Delaware & Hudson; the Cayague, Dodge and Hampton of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, in this city, and the Avondale of the latter company at Kingston. The normal tonnage of these mines during regular working time is 1,000 tons per day, while at present they are turning out about 300 tons.

While an average of 3,000 tons of miner coal is being daily prepared in the district the average for 1900, when but 176 days were worked during the year, was 28,883 tons per day.

CREATES SURPRISE

Attitude of Administration With Reference to Postmasters.

Washington, Aug. 28.—The specific character of the letter of Mr. Wynne, acting postmaster general, to the postmaster at Leavenworth, Kan., replying to certain questions concerning permissible political activity, referred to in the dispatches, is attracting unusual attention in political circles. The question has been passed upon before by former heads of the postoffice department, but the orders relating to the subject have been generally vague and capable of many different constructions and interpretations. Mr. Wynne's letter is direct and to the point, and may be accepted as the policy of the administration on the subject.

The cause for the order did not originate in Kansas, but came from some of the southern states, in which the Republicans are in the minority. The department has received many complaints to the effect that national committeemen have used postmasters and federal officeholders in these Democratic states to control party conventions in opposition to the wishes of the rank and file of the members of the organization. It is known that President Roosevelt approved the order before it was issued by Mr. Wynne, and it may accordingly be taken as the policy of the administration.

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Silver Forces.

Reno, Nev., Aug. 28.—The conference committees of the silver party and Democratic conventions have agreed upon the distribution of the offices as follows:

To the Democrats—Governor, congressman, attorney general, long term regent and superintendent of public instructions.

To the Silver Party—Lieutenant governor court.

ernor, justice of the supreme court, secretary of state, treasurer, comp-troller, surveyor general, state printer and short term regent. Nominations will be made today.

TO SAVE WANAMAKER KIN. Friends of Fred Hardy, Sentenced to

Be Hanged, Sees Reprieve.

ment.

A petition for a reprieve has been sent to President Roosevelt, It was prepared by Attorney Patrick Corrigan, who is working under the instructions of the Marine Cooks and Stewards' association, which is interested in Hardy, who belongs to the Sailers' Union.

Corrigan claims he has secured evidence at Dutch Harbor which proves Hardy innocent, and that if the captain and mate of the schooner Argo can be found they can establish a complete allibi.

GIRLS FOR MESSENGERS. They're Taking Boy Strikers' Places

in Chicago Buildings. chicago, Aug. 28.—Giris took the places of striking mestenger boys in all of the large downtown buildings where the Western Union maintains offices. Some of the girls employed seem to be no older than 12 years, but there are other girls who are more than 20. The Illinois District Telegraph company which handles Western Union messages, has not yet decided to put the girls to carrying messages in the street, but an official said today that it might be necessary.

A CROOK'S GIFT TO A CROOK \$6,000 Property From Sophie Lyons

to Billy Burke. Detroit, Aug. 23.—Sophie Lyons Brady, Detroit's most famous crook, transferred \$5.000 worth of Detroit real estate this morning to Billy Burke, who is now doing ten years in a French prison. She reserves a life interest in the property. She will take the papers with her to France next week. Burke was arrested in France for a big diamond robbery that occurred when Sophie Lyons was in Paris three years ago.

Linwood Man Is First District Congressional Nominee.

Democrats and Populists Hold a Joint Caucus.

GLICK WAS CHAIRMAN.

Nomination Was Made on the First Ballot.

Mr. Wagner Is a Lawyer in Leavenworth County. .

John E. Wagner, of Linwood, Leavenworth county, was nominated for congressman from the First district by the Populists and Democrats in conventhe Populists and Democrats in convention at Hiawatha yesterday afternoon.

A foint caucus of the two party conventions was held and Wagner was nominated on the first ballot, receiving 66 votes out of 104. Ex-Governor Glick was chairman of the joint caucus.

Mr. Wagner is a Kansan by birth and a lawyer by profession. He was born and has spent his entire life in Leavenworth county. While little known over the state, he is said to be extremely popular in the vicinity of his home at Linwood, which was also for many years the bome of United States Senator Harris. Mr. Wagner is a man of about

Linwood, which was also for many years the home of United States Senator Harris. Mr. Wagner is a man of about 35 years, and is the member of the Populist state central committee from the First judicial district. He has been a Populist ever since that party was organized—previous to that he was a Republican. He is said to be a good campaigner and will make a thorough canvass of the First congressional district, About the only thing the fusionists can hope to do in the First district, however, is to keep down Congressman Curtis' majority as much as possible. They cannot hope to overcome the Republican lead in the district. There is too much of a "brutal majority." Two years ago Mr. Curtis received a majority of 8,818 over ex-Governor Glick. Curtis carried every county in the district by majorities ranging from 4,000 down to 361. The vote by counties was as follows:

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The Socialists of the Fifth congressional district held a congressional convention at Concordia yesterday and nominated Gust Rockwall, of Falun, Saline county, is their candidate for congress.

Congressman Long is now able to be up and around and expects to go to Logs a to her, ow and to speak at Oakley on Saturday. J. R. Cottingham came up trom Guthrie, Ok., a few days ago to get Mr. Long to attend the opening of the Okiahoma campaign and make a speech down there Saturday, but Mr. Long did not feel like undertaking it.

The legislative fight in Osage county over the Republican nomination seems to have approached the white heat stage. A great amount of bitterness has been engendered and as Osage isn't very far into the Republican ranks it looks as though there is danger that the Republicans may lose if they are not careful. The Burlingame Chronicle of Monday in discussing the effective of Monday in discussing the effective of the country o

Monday, in discussing the situation says:

"We have never in all our years seen a political feeling so bitter as that which exists in Burlingame today. In the days when Populism was at its height and feeling was running strong between the new party and the Republicans, it did not approach the hatred that exists between Republicans here now. If the feeling of passion and anger and malice continues to grow until the end of the week as it has during the past week, many men who the end of the week as it has dur-ing the past week, many men who should be friendly neighbors will be-come life-lorg enemies, if that is not already the case with some. It is time to call a halt, time to stop the vitupera-tion and abuse and slander."

R. T. Osborn, of Coffeyville, son o ex-Speaker Steve Osborn of Salina, has been endorsed by Senator Burton for appointment as an attorney for the Dawes Indian commission. If appoint-ed he will have his beadquarters at Muscogee, I. T.

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A brother of E. W. Hoch has been probate judge of Marion county for three terms but failed of a fourth nomination by the Republicans and is now running as an independent candidate against the regular Republican nominee. E. W. Hoch, however, refuses to support him, but is supporting the regular nominee. Mr. Hoch says editorially in his paper, the Marion Record:

"E. W. Hoch, of the Marion Record: one of the strongest Republicans in the state, has a brother running for probate judge independently. He seems very much ashamed of it and says: No other Republican in Marion county can possibly regret as greatly as does the editor of the Record the independent candidacy of his brother for the office of probate judge. The matter is the most delicate and painful with which we have ever had to deal, editorially. Blood is strong in our veins, and family ties sacred. But we owe it to ourself and to the party we love to disavow sympathy with this candidacy, and to pledge loyal and cordial support to the regular Republican nominee, Mr. Va 19hn. There is no reason why Mr Vaughn should not receive the full party vote, and the vote, also, of every citizen who believes in fair play in politics."

Coffeyville Independent: Newspapers by the armioad are coming to this office demanding the resignation of Tom T. Kelly, the Burton candidate for state treasurer on the Republican ticket, and all of these newspapers are clean-cut Republican. The Caney Chronicle has just joined the more than 190 crowd.

The Pleasanton Border Sentinel con-tinues to run T. T. Kelly's name for state treasurer, but it marks it "under protest."

Congressman Curtis was scheduled to speak at Neosho Falls on Friday but on account of the river flooding the park where the meeting was to be held it has been called of. Mr. Curtis will keep open house in Topeka for his friends in-stead.

There is a possibility that the fusion-ists may not put up a candidate against Judge Sheldon in the Johnson-Miam judicial district, Judge Burris, who

The Saline county Socialists will nom-nate a county ticket Saturday. This wilf be the first time they have ever nade such an attempt.

A. W. Robinson, the Cawker City editor who announced his candidacy for county clerk of Mitchell county by saying that his candidacy is not the result of a demand on the part of his friends that he run but because he wants the office, is receiving considerable notority because of his novel announcement. The New York Sun recently copied it and commented on it editorially.

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Wellington News: In refusing to carry the name of T. T. Kelly for state treasurer any longer and in advising Republicans to refuse to vote for him, we are not animated by any personal motives and have no acquaintance with Mr. Kelly. We returned from the state convention strong in the belief that Tom Kelly was being charged with crimes of which he was not guilty. But since then three Republican county commissioners in his county found an old shortage of \$1,300, and he has paid that sum into the country treasury. Last Saturday at a county convention in his own county a resolution was offered commending and approving the action of the county commissioners and defiouncing his candidacy for state treasurer. The vote on this resolution was overwhelming, being 180 to 29, while 13 refused to vote. If there is any satisfying explanation to be made it should be out at once, as under the situation as it now stands the Republican party can't afford to elect Tom Kelly state treasurer.

NEW MAIL DISTRICTS.

Postoffice Authorities Change Carrier Territory.

On October 1 there will be a complete redistricting of the mail routes of the city, and a reassignment of carriers. Three new carriers are to be put to work on that date, and there will be important improvements in the mail service, especially in North Topeka. Leroy Powell, superintendent of the city delivery, is now at work on the scheme of redistricting. Instead of having 22 districts, the city will have 25 after Oct. 1. One carrier will be assigned to each district. Seven of these carriers are "mounted,"—that is to say, they have a cart and horse to use in their rounds.

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North Topeka will be given one of the three new carriers, and the other two will be used on this side of the river. Instead of having but two delivery districts in North Topeka, there will be three. A new district, embracing only the business part of town will be laid out, and it will be given four deliveries of mail each day, instead of three at present. The rest of North Topeka will be given two deliveries a day, whereas some parts of the town now have only one.

The postoffice officials here give much of the credit for the increase in the carrier force to Wm. G. Eden, of Chicago, general superintendent of free delivery. Mr. Eden was here a month ago, and inspected the condition of the delivery system here. He at once recommended an increase in the carrier force of three men, and the department approved the recommendation.

AN UNFINISHED RACE.

Grand Circuit Meet at Providence a Mixed Affair.

Providence, R. I., Aug. 28.—In the Grand Circuit meeting at Narragansett Pier Wednesday the Roger Williams \$10,000 trotting stake smashed all precedent. It is still unfinished, with five heat winners, and all have broken their

records.
Scott Hudson's blind horse Rhythmle, 2:05%, was picked to win the rich purse, but after reducing his record to 2:08%, the brown stallion had only one heat in six. Dulc Cor won two heats and got a mark of 2:08%, the new stake record. Alice Carr won the first heat in 2:08%, a new record for a mare. Rythmic came third and then won the second heat in 2:08%. The third went to Wentworth who tied his mark of 2:09%. Dulc Cor won the fourth heat in the best time 2:08%. Then Nut Bearer took the fifth heat, reducing his record from 2:13% to 2:10%.

PROPERTY IS MOVING.

Daniel Bates Gets Block of Land For Suburban Home.

William Deines, who recertly sold his nome near Washburn, has bought the neat ottage at 316 Van Buren street of H. J. ortage at 315 van black and an angwell for \$1,430.

Daniel Bates, who has been doing strenous service railroading in New Mexico or some time, has purchased an entire dock, 10 acres, in Park Place, west of cowman Hill, to fit up for a future subur-

owman Hill, to fit up 101 a the in home. Charles Harris and J. W. Douglas are charles harris of five acres each of this Mrs. M. A. Laycock has moved into the new eight room house on Warren street, which she recently purchased. All of these purchases are reported through W. M. Forbes' real estate office.

DENVER MINT CONTRACT. Kansas Man Awarded Contract for In terior Finish Work.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 28.—The contract has been awarded to James A. McGonigle of Leavenworth, Kan., for supplying and putting in the interior finish of the Denver mint. The contract price is \$213,432. The work is to be completed in 20 months from date. The department has investigated the resources and standing of the contractor and feels certain he will fulfill the contract as specified.

Pass Midshipmen Examination. Annapolis, Md., Aug. 28.—The academic board of the naval academy has recommended that the following be accepted as having passed their mental examinations for admission as midshipmen: Class of 1908—E. A. Wallson, Illinois; M. C. Hudson, Missouri; M. F. Dreimal, Nebraska; S. A. Taffinder, Illinois; Paul Bean, Texas; A. C. Chanty, Jr., Iowa: V. P. Coffin, Idaho; R. L. Ghormley, Idaho E. A. Lichtenstein, Texas; W. E. Madden, Texas.

Fair Remains Reach Havre Havre, France, Aug. 28.—The remains of Charles L. and Mrs Fair arrived here oday from Paris and will be forwarded o Southampton tonight.

Weather Indications. Chicago, Aug. 28.—Forecast for Kan-us: Generally fair tonight and Friday; cooler Friday; southerly winds.

Trouble Imminent in Republican County Committee.

Members Not in Harmony May Be Expelled.

MR. PHILIPS ANXIOUS.

Does Not Want Decisive Steps F. H. Foster Replies to Invita-

tion to Speak. It is likely that at the next meeting

of the Republican county central committee the question of excommunicating those who will not support the Republican county ticket from top to bottom, will be well thrashed over. During the county campaign two

During the county campaign two years ago the central committee split on some of the candidates on the ticket. A large number of the committeemen refused openly to support the entire ticket. At that time the Republican bosses thought it best not to stir up any more trouble than was already brewing and the heresy of the unruly members was winked at. The central committee went right on doing business as if everyone was in accord with all that was done. The same condition exists this year and Chairman Philips is endeavoring to smooth matters over by not noticing the members who are not in accord with his policy.

There are members of the committee, however, who wish the resignations of everyone on the committee who is opposed to either Galen Nichols, the candidate for county attorney, or A. T. Lucas, the candidate for sheriff. Such members say that the smoothing over process has gone on long enough and that this is the time to clean out those

members say that the smoothing over process has gone on long enough and that this is the time to clean out those who do not agree to work for the entire ticket. Chairman Philips has managed to avert this revolution so far. He claims that there are but six members out of the 73 who are "off" but he wishes to avoid the split which is likely to follow if a move is made to expel the members who will not support the entire ticket.

The Independent managers claim that there are at least 20 men on the Republican committee who will support one or both of the Independent candidates.

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The Independent forces also claim that several of the speakers who will campaign in the county for the Republican ticket will not speak for Lucas and Nichols. Secretary J. W. Gardiner, of the Republican central committee, sent cut letters asking persons to take the stump in the county during the coming campaign for the Republican ticket. He received many answers refusing the invitation. Among those who refused was P. H. Forbes, a member of the Republican committee, who stated that he would not make speeches for the ticket and furthermore that he would not support Lucas and Nichols.

Frank H. Foster was asked to speak and he teplied as follows:

Mr. John W. Gardiner, Secretary, Armory Hall, Topeka, Kansas.

Dear Sir: I am in receipt of yours of recent date requesting permission to place my name upon the list of sneakers for the campaign of which you have charge as secretary. I am a Republican, and have seldom had occasion to differ with Republican platforms. I have always found much inspiration in the platforms of the old Bay state, formulated by such men as Summer, wilson Andrew, Lodge and Hoar. In

differ with Republican platforms. I have always found much inspiration in the platforms of the old Bay state. formulated by such men as Sumner, Wilson, Andrew, Lodge and Hoar. In 1884 the Republican party of Massachusetts in state convention assembled adopted this plank: "The duty of all Republicans loyally to support the candidates of the party, and the duty of nominating conventions to present candidates who are acceptable to all Republicans, are reciprocal duties of equal force and obligation."

This doctrine has never been retracted by the Republicans of that or any other state. Again the Republicans of that same state said in their platform of 1876: "It is therefore declared that the Republican party of Massachusetts will surport no man for official position whose personal character is not an absolute guaranty of fidelity to every public trust, and they invoke the condemnation of the ballot box upon every candidate for office who fails of this test, whatever be his party name or indorsement." At least two of the candidates your organization are supporting do not come within the above standard. They are men whose "personal character is not an absolute guaranty of fidelity to every public trust." They have been tested in the positions which they now seek, and their acts—official acts—fah short of the standard prescribed by Republican rules, and I therefore feel It my patriotic Republican duty to assist to "invoke the condemnation of the ballot box" upon their official acts. I shall therefore be found upon the platform in this county advocating the election of Stahl and Stebbins, and regret that your political work will be in another direction. If you were as good a Republican as I am, I feel sure we would be working together for the Interests of the Grand Old Party, by defeating unworthy candidates, who became such by unworthy methods. To rebuke such should be esteemed a high honor by any Republican. Respectfully yours.

FRANK H. FOSTER.

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Republican. Respectfully yours, FRANK H. FOSTER.

The Republican workers are making a poll of the town and country, and they have found several localities, where they felt safe, that show an alarming opposition to the straight ticket. There are several members of the committee who are in hope that they will be expelled from the committee because they will not support all the candidates. They do not wish to quietly resign, but prefer to have the committee take the action which will bar them from membership. Chairman Phillos thinks that the committee has no right to remove them, because they were elected by the people. The members who are in favor of removing the insurgents say that they were elected to represent Republicans and to support the entire ticket, and that if they do not they should lose their membership.

Bad Reunion Weather.

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Washington, Kan., Aug. 28.—Wednesday was the first of the three day's reunion of old soldiers and sallors. The rain of Tuesday and the week previous had made the roads so muddy that it is difficult for people to get to the grounds, but many have assembled nevertheless. The committee on arrangements has decided to extend the time one more day and close the reunion on Saturday instead of Friday. Congressman Calderhead will speak today and after that there will be speakers for each day. A large crowd is expected on Friday and Saturday.

THE WEATHER TODAY.

Low Temperature Prevails and Con-tinuation Is Promised. The wet weather forecasters of the gov-nment bureau are now promising cooler

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The forecast sent out this morning was: "Generally fair tonight and Friday; cooler Friday." The mercury struggled this morning to reach 70. The minimum was 44 and the wind was blowing from six to eight miles an hour. The corn and wheat region bulletin issued by Observer Jennings for the 24 hours ending this morning at 7 o'clock says:

"The temperature continues low for the season over the state, with but slight changes this morning. Light rains have fallen in a few localities and this morning some foggy weather prevails. The morning shows the temperature has risen slightly in all the other districts except the Chicago and St. Louis, and light rains have fallen in the St. Louis and Louisville, with trace of rain in some of the other districts."

JUST A VISIT.

That's All There Is in Miles' Philippine Trip.

Washington, Aug. 28.—Gen. Nelson A. Miles, accompanied by Mrs. Miles and his aides, Colonels Whitney and Maus, will leave Washington for the Philippine islands rnext Wedgesday. Mrs. Miles may not go farther than San Francisco with the general, or she may conclude to accompany him across the

Pacific.

"I regard the trip as merely a visit to the army there," said General Miles, "It may be called an inspection tout, and I shall make it a point to visit probably every army camp in the islands, though as I have said, this matter has not yet been determined upon. The visit will consume from thirty to sixty days."

The transport Thomas on which the

The transport Thomas, on which the general and his party will sall, has recently been overhauled and fitted up, making her one of the most elegant and comfortable of the army transports.

NOT ON HIS BOND.

W. D. Greason Corrects Statements of Kelly.

Paola, Kan., Aug. 28.-W. D. Greason, ditor of the Miami County Republican. denies the statement of T. T. Kelly that he and J. B. Remington are on, Kelly's bond. Mr. Greason said today:

"I was somewhat surprised to see in T.T. Kelly's statement the startling announcement that the names of W. D. Greason and J. B. Remington are on his official bond. This is not true. We were on his bond four years ago, but we are not now.

"Another statement by Kelly is that James Caton made an examination of the books. This is not true. He never did." denies the statement of T. T. Kelly that

books. This is not true. He never did. SUCCEEDS DR. WARNER.

Joseph A. Langfitt Made Presideut of Fraternal Congress.

Denver, Col., Aug. 28.—Joseph A. Langfitt of Pittsburg, Pa., past supreme, regent of the Royal Arcanum, was today elected president of the National Fraternal con-

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gress.

Other officers were elected as follows:
Vice president, E. O. Wood of Flint, Mich.,
grand chief of the Loyai Guard; secretarytreasurer, M. W. Sackett of Meadville, Pn.,
supreme recorder of the Ancient Order
of United Workmen.

Milwaukee was chosen as the meeting
place for next year.

THEIR LIVES THREATENED Mussionaries in Mexico Warned to

Leave Their Station. Plainfield, Ind., Aug. 28.—Word has been received from Everett Morgan and wife, formerly residents of Plainfield, now missionaries at Cotovci, Mexico that natives of that place have warned them that unless they leave the city by September 17 they will be put to death

death.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan were sent out by the board of foreign missions of the Western Yearly Meeting of the Friends, about four years ago and have been at that place about a year. They with Miss Sarah Lindley are the only Americans in the city.

Appeals for protection in their belief have teen sent to the government authorities. They will peobably leave the city on the date mentioned, but hope to return later.

John Seaton's Daughter Dead. Kansas City, Aug. 28.—Nellie Seaton Byram, wife of Theodore Byram, a live stock commission merchant of this city, died Wednesday at her home, 3000 East Thirty-ninth street, of peritonitis. Mrs. Byram was taken suddenly ill Monday afternoon, and her condition grew gradu-ally worse, resulting in her death last night. She was the daughter of John Seaton, a foundryman and politician of Seaton, a foundryman and politician of Atchison, Kas., and a sister of Mrs. Con-dit, wife of Dr. Condit of this city. She was 34 years of age, and leaves one child, a daughter, 6 years of age. The body was taken to her former home, Atchison, Kas., for burial.

Forfeiture Proceedings Ordered. New York, Aug. 28.—Collector Strana-nan, of the port of New York, has re-quested the officers of the U. S. district ittorney to institute forfeiture proceed-ngs in the case of the \$20,000 pearl and llamond necklace seized from a wealthy emale passenger on the Kronprinz Wil-teim, a week ago Tuesday.

Chicago, Aug. 28.—7 a. m. temperatures: New York 70; Boston, 64; Philadelphia, 68; Washington, 72; Chicago, 68; Minneapolis, 60; Cincinnati, 68; St. Louis, 68.

President Roosevelt Spent the Night in the Cars.

He Sat Up Late Talking to "Bill" Sewall.

RAN OUT HALF DRESSED

To Respond to an Early Morning Greeting at Clermont.

Is Greeted by a Great Growd at Manchester.

Nashua, N. H., Aug. 28.—For the first time since beginning his tour of New England, President Roosevelt last night slept aboard the train. He remained up until a late hour talking over old times with "Bill" Sewall, his former guide, whom he insisted should accompany him to Ellsworth and back to Bangor. In all probability the president will return to Maine in October for a hunting trip.

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Early this morning at Kittery Junction, Me., the train was boarded by Gem Ayling, of Concord, N. H., secretary of state; Edward Pearson and Geo. H. Moses, representing Governor Jordan of New Hampshire, who extended the president a welcome to that state as soon as the train had passed the boundary. In his anxiety to respond to the citing of the people of Clermont, a small station, the president, who had not finished dressing rushed to the door of his car wrapped in an overcoat and bowed to the little gathering.

At Wyndham Junction the populace was astir early and as the train approached the station a salute was fired and a rousing cheer went up as the president appeared on the rear platform.

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The train reached Nashua on time. The party was escorted to carriages and all proceeded to the city hall. At the station and along the streets, massex around the platform which had been erected in front of the city hall, were thousands who cheered incessantly from the time the president's train appeared until he had begun to speak to the great assembly. The president occupied about 10 minutes with his address. Withdrawing from the platform the president, the reception committee and those who were with the president resumed their carliaiges and proceeded to the Nashua Junction station. The ovation was continuous, and as the train drew out prolonged cheering followed.

GREETED BY A GREAT CROWD. Manchester, N. H. Aug. 28.—A presidential salute, mingled with the cheere of a great crowd, greeted the president as his train reached here. As many of the men on the reception committee here were personally known to the president, the exchange of courtesies was unusually cordal. The president was driven about the city in a barouche drawn by four horses. On one of the bridges the two leading horses became unmanageable and had to be taken out. Another delay occurred when the procession was held up by a passing freight train. At a point opposite Merrimac common the president's carriage was brought to a stop and the local camp of Spanish-American war veterans tendered the president a salute, and their common the president's carriage was brought to a stop and the local camp of Spanish-American war veterans tendered the president a salute, and their common the president's carriage was brought to a stop and the local camp of Spanish-American war veterans tendered the president a salute, and their common the president's carriage was brought to a stop and the local camp of Spanish-American war veterans tendered the president as alute, and their common the president's carriage was brought to a stop and the local camp of Spanish-American war veterans tendered the president as alute, and thei

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TALKS TO OLD SOLDIERS.

The Weirs, N. H., Aug. 28f—Fully 3,000 people foined in welcoming the president on his visit to the encampment of dent on his visit to the encampment of the New Hampshire G. A. R. here today. A special train came in a few minutes after noon. Governor Chester B. Jordan and Congressman Frank D. Currier, who had boarded the train at Concord, were with the president's party. After luncheon the president was escorted to the camp grounds where the speaking took place. President Roosevelt was introduced to the veterags and when he could make himself heard he began his address, speaking in part as follows:

"Any person who has a proper sense of the relative proportion of things must realize that to the men who fought for the union in the dark days

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